

Society

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Dances Begia.

All the children in town are quite enthusiastic over the opening of their dancing classes. Once or twice a week, as the case may be, cunning little people are seen on the streets, their soft party frocks and a gay colored slipper bag on their way to "dancing school." Some of them are accompanied by maids and nurses, and occasionally a bashful lad makes bold and escorts the big, blue-eyed charmer of his stout little soul to the dance, where she promptly drops him for a new one. They are gay days—dancing school days. You can dance with girls if you want to. The boys generally line the walls, and when they do venture forth are quite awkward and uninteresting, and the tiny little girls are the centers of attention and stand or fall as social stars in the years to come after, according to their reign in the now.

Miss Ella Blinford's dancing class is generally attended by most of the fashionable little people in Richmond and her classes every week are very interesting society affairs so far as the little children are concerned. She has been in New York most of the summer studying under professor Duryea, and a number of new dances will be introduced this year. Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock the very youngest children will begin their classes, and on Friday night from 7 to 9 o'clock, the older ones will dance. The dances will be given in Belvidere Hall throughout the winter.

Returned to Baltimore.

Miss Melvin, who has been a guest of Mrs. Ben R. Valentine at her home on Monument Avenue, returned to her home in Baltimore yesterday morning. Miss Melvin spent several days last week in Richmond.

Mrs. Drewry's Guests.

Mrs. Frank Deford, of Baltimore, who has been spending the summer months at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. D. Drewry, Minneola, in Chesterfield county, has returned to her home, Miss Austin Betrand, a granddaughter of Mrs. Drewry, who will be one of the season's debutantes in Richmond, has gone to Baltimore with Mrs. Deford, where she will pay her a visit of some length.

Mrs. Molly MacGill Rosenberg, of Galveston, Texas, will be Mrs. Drewry's guest at Minneola during the meeting of the Daughters of the Confederacy here in November.

Mrs. and Mrs. George Cole Scott have closed their country place in Orange county and, with their children, have returned to Richmond for the winter. Miss Frances Scott has opened her town house, 712 West Franklin Street, after a several month's absence from Richmond. She has been in the Virginia Hot Springs for some time.

Mrs. Robert G. Scott, Mrs. Kitty Scott McGilvray and little daughter, Virginia, have returned to Richmond, after spending the summer at their cottage on the coast of Maine. Debutantes for this winter. There are three charming young girls to be presented to society in Richmond this season. In other cities the older girls and the married set are the centre of all the big entertainments and the debutante set is a mere incident of the early part of the winter affairs, but here nearly the entire list of big functions given during the season is given over to entertaining girls making their initial bow to society. They are honored with balls and teas and receptions galore, and interested relatives and friends spare no time nor expense in giving lovely affairs in their honor. The first Monday german is an entirely a debutante affair and a table is set in the middle of the dining room decorated and arranged especially for their pleasure and edification. Last winter proved a very gay season so far as handsome entertaining went, and this year promises to be quite as interesting.

Some of the girls making their formal bow here this winter are: Miss Louise Johnston, daughter of Mrs. A. Langstaff Johnston; Miss Emma Conquest, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Conquest; Miss Belle Willard, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Joseph E. Willard; Miss Katherine Eades, granddaughter of Mrs. John Hayes; Miss Emily Rutherford Royall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Royall; Miss Mary Johnson, daughter of Captain William R. Johnson, Miss Gay Montague, daughter of former Governor and Mrs. Andrew Jackson Montague; Miss Genevieve Lathrop, daughter of Captain P. Lathrop; Miss Mary Tompkins, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Christopher Tompkins; Miss Mary Boyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James N. Boyd; Miss North Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John K. Jones; Miss Frances Bemiss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bemiss.

Maid of Honor



Miss Louise Chiles Williams, who has been appointed maid of honor for the State at the Confederate Reunion to be held at Newport News on October 17, 18 and 19. Miss Williams is a daughter of Attorney-General Samuel Walker Williams, of Richmond, and is descended from an illustrious line of ancestors. On her maternal side she is descended from the Johnstons and Hopes, of Scotland, and the Ellisons, Johnsons and Clarks, of England, and on her paternal side she is descended from the celebrated General Joseph Martin, of Revolutionary fame.

Miss Katie Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wirt E. Taylor; Miss Katherine Hagan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hagan; Miss Helen Haskins, daughter of Mr. Haskins; Miss Austin Betrand, daughter of Mrs. Bertrand; Miss Katherine Sinton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sinton; Miss Elizabeth Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor; Miss Louise Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Richardson; Miss Elizabeth Jeffery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Jeffery; Miss Margaret Freeman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Freeman; Miss Gertrude Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carter; Miss Conway Fleming, daughter of Mrs. W. L. Fleming; Miss Minnie Archer, niece of William W. Archer.

At the Woman's Club. Miss Ella Flett, of Winston, Canada, who has recently come to make her home in Richmond, will be heard in a song recital at the Woman's Club tomorrow afternoon at half-past 4 o'clock. Miss Flett is gifted with a voice that combines power and sweetness, and renders her numbers in a finished and artistic style, while her stage presence is both natural and pleasing. She will be accompanied by Miss Louise Withrow, of Staunton, who is also spending this winter in Richmond.

On Thursday evening, October 19, the first card tournament of the season will be played, with bridge whist as the game. The draw will be taken at that time as to whether bridge shall be played at all the tournaments or whether they shall alternate as formerly between bridge and compass whist. Members may invite gentlemen partners, and are requested to register their tables by 10 o'clock Thursday morning.

Engagements Announced. Mr. and Mrs. S. Burrell Bragg, of Norfolk, announce the engagement of their sister, Patti Elizabeth, to James B. Jones, of Richmond, the wedding to be celebrated at the latter part of November at their new home, "Ridge-wood."

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Blanche Inez Tuckett, of Hamilton, Canada, and Dr. Robert Walter Bragg, of New York City. The wedding will take place on Wednesday, October 18, at All Saints Church, Hamilton, Canada. Misses Maude and Patti Bragg and Frank Bragg, of Norfolk, left Wednesday for New York, where they will join their brother, Dr. Robert

Bragg, and go to Canada for the Bragg-Tuckett wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Shepherd, of Fredericksburg, are in the city for several days this week. Mrs. Shepherd has recently returned to Virginia, after spending the summer months traveling with a party of friends through Europe.

For Miss Royall.

The Misses Mary Ridgely and Rebecca Waters White gave a pretty arranged card party on Thursday afternoon at Pleasant Hill, Md., in honor of their guest, Miss Emily Royall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sinton, of Richmond. Several tables of bridge were entertained, and tea was served after the game. Various colored dahlias and greens were used to decorate the living room, and other autumn flowers were arranged in the lower hall. The guests invited to meet Miss Royall included principally the younger set in the neighborhood.

Of Interest Here. A Washington exchange contains the following of interest to Virginia society:

"Mrs. Taft, wife of the President, is said to have rented a cottage at the Virginia Hot Springs, and will spend a month or so there at leaving Beverly and before opening the White House for the winter season."

"When he comes home from his Western trip the President wants a rest, for he has had practically no holiday all summer, and he proposes to get a rest in the recreation he loves best—that is, in golf."

"Mrs. Thomas K. Laughlin, Mrs. Taft's sister, has leased a cottage at the Virginia resort, which is just now at the height of its season, and she is already there."

Home Wedding.

The home of Mrs. S. E. Duncanson was the scene of a very pretty wedding Wednesday morning, when her daughter, Bessie, became the bride of E. E. Apt, of this city. The parlor was artistically decorated in palms and ferns, with a drapery of American Beauty roses and smilax on the walls and doorways. The bride was handsomely gowned in a traveling suit of brown cloth, with a big picture hat, and carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses. She entered the parlor with her brother, W. E. Duncanson, who also gave her away. Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" was played as a professional, and "My Bonnie Bess" very softly during the ceremony, by Miss Slaughter.

Among the guests from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Duncanson, of Baltimore; Miss Louise Webster, of West Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. Apt will be at home at 800 Stuart Road, Battery Court, after November 6.

Interesting Announcement.

Among the notable weddings to take place this month is that of Miss Bessie Carland Wilson, daughter of the late Dr. B. L. Wilson, of Petersburg, to Richard Fox, of this city, the ceremony to be performed on the morning of October 25 at 10 o'clock, in the Market Street Methodist Church, Petersburg. This wedding is a particularly interesting one, owing to the prominent connections of both Miss Wilson and Mr. Fox throughout Virginia. The bride is a well-known musician and is a degree graduate of the Woman's College, having given a number of recitals in Richmond and elsewhere. Mr. Fox is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James McCaw Fox, and is prominently connected in business and social circles of this city.

Birthday Party.

One of the very charming functions given last week for the little people was a party given for Arthur Lee Kelly, by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kelly, at their home, 2510 Floyd Avenue, in celebration of his eighth birthday. The rooms were decorated in a color scheme of pink and white, and lots of lighted candles were used everywhere. Vases of pink roses and chrysanthemums decorated the mantels, and a big centerpiece of the same flowers ornamented the table. In the dining-room, Master Kelly's guests were invited from 4 to 8 o'clock Thursday afternoon, and many happy games ensued.

Some of those present were Horace Elkins, Kinsey Bass, George Lipscomb, Eleanor B. Wilson, Eunice Gayle, Bernard Crenshaw, Mary Morris, Henry Hopper, Alice Bradshaw, William Burton, Ann Rector, Margaret Northern and Stuart Burton.

Leaving Town. Miss Nell E. Lee Murphy returned to Richmond last night to attend the fall given Thursday evening by the Richmond Light Infantry Blues, and



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will leave town on Thursday of this week to visit friends in Washington and Philadelphia. Miss Murphy has been the guest of Judge and Mrs. T. Garrett at Linden, Md., for the past two months.

Maddox-Chiles.

A very pretty marriage took place Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock in the Fairmont Avenue Baptist Church, when Miss Olive Myrtle Chiles, daughter of Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Chiles and the late Samuel L. Chiles, became the bride of Robert Cave Maddox. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. William R. Burrell, pastor of the bride.

The bride entered the church with her sister, Miss Emma Thomas Chiles, who was her maid of honor. She wore a traveling suit of dark blue cloth, with hat and gloves to match, and a corsage bouquet of orchids. She carried a copy of the marriage vow bound in white vellum. The maid of honor wore a frock of yellow messaline with crystal trimmings, and carried a large bunch of American Beauty roses. Clyde Henderson Maddox, of Akron, was his brother's best man, and the ushers included Rousey Maddox, Casper Jarvis, John Sharp and Bickerton Dickinson.

After a trip North, Mr. and Mrs. Maddox will make their home at 1916 Jefferson Park.

Johnson-Robinson.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the rectory of the Sacred Heart Cathedral Tuesday morning, October 10, at 11 o'clock, when Miss Helen Claybrook Robinson became the bride of Carroll James Johnson, Rev. Father Martin J. Hall being the celebrant. The bride was attended by Miss Irene C. Johnson, sister of the groom, and Henry T. Robinson, the bride's brother, acted as best man. After a trip North Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will reside at 210 West Cary Street.

At the Art Club.

The regular weekly lecture will be held at the Art Club of Richmond on Tuesday afternoon of this week at 4 o'clock. The Rev. E. E. Osgood will make the address before the members of the Art Club, and his subject will be "Cathedral Towns." These lectures are among the delightful social affairs of the winter, and are always largely attended. Tea will be poured at the conclusion of the lecture.

Quarterly Meeting.

The quarterly meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent Association will take place on Wednesday afternoon, October 18, at 4 o'clock, in the basement of the synagogue. The ladies will be glad to hear from all those who have not responded to the New Year appeal.

Invitations Issued.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lyle have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Fannie Jane, to Donald Ray Cutchin, the ceremony to take place on Wednesday morning, October 18, at 11 o'clock in the home of the bride's parents, 402 East Canal Street.

Women's Meetings.

St. John's Circle of King's Daughters will meet Monday afternoon, October 16, at half-past 4 o'clock, with Mrs. O. E. Parrish, 2700 East Grace Street. A full attendance is urged, this being the last meeting before the State convention.

The commencement exercises of the Sheltering Arms Free Hospital Train-

ing School for Nurses will be held Tuesday night of this week at half-past 8 o'clock at the Elks' Home, corner of Eleventh and Marshall Streets. Mr. Murat Willis will make the address to the graduates, Misses Ida Louise Mason and Emma Ella Jones. The public is invited.

In and Out of Town.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Stevenson Brown, who have been in Bermuda for several weeks, will return to New York on Wednesday.

Miss Mary Archer, of Vinita, Pawnee county, is visiting friends in Richmond for several days.

Mrs. George A. Allen and her daughter have returned to Richmond after a three months' stay in Erie, Pa., and will be with Mrs. Allen's mother, Mrs. R. T. Hunter, for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Baskerville

Social Side of Washington

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Washington, October 14.—This is Supreme Court week on the official calendar, and socialites have centered largely around the families of the Chief Justice and his nine associates on the bench of the country's highest tribunal. Society has also extended the glad hand to the French ambassador and Madame Jusserand, who returned early in the week from abroad, where they have been since June. The embassy staff, which, during the chief's absence, was established at Manchester-by-the-Sea, met him in New York, and returned with him to Washington. Comtesse de Chamburn, wife of the military attaché, arrived behind for a longer visit with her mother, Mrs. Longworth, Sr., at whose summer home in Beverly Mass., she has been the guest of honor at a series of house parties composed of members of a large family connection, of whom the comtesse has heretofore seen very little since her marriage took her abroad to live. Later in the month she will probably go with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wallingford, and the Nicholas Longworths, to Pittsburgh for the centennial celebration of the navigation of the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers, at which President Taft has promised to be the special guest of the day, October 31. Her family is keenly interested in the occasion because of a long and close connection with the upbuilding of cities along the route first navigated 100 years ago by a great granduncle of Mrs. Alice Roosevelt Longworth, and personal acquaintance with the Governor of the States bordering the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers, who will sail from Pittsburgh that day in a replica of the steamboat New Orleans, in which the inventor, Nicholas Roosevelt, covered the 2,500 miles from the Smoky City to New Orleans, in 1811.

A late resident of Pittsburgh, who will be absent from the celebration of a much interest to the old families of Mrs. Thomas Laughlin, the younger sister of Mrs. Taft, who has spent little since her widowhood, and who is now on a visit to the first lady of the land in the summer White House. Speaking of Mrs. Laughlin, Dame Russell says she will lay aside her widow's weeds this winter and spend much time with her distinguished kinsman here, filling in the time between the visits of her nieces, the Misses Anderson, who are to be more or less regular additions to the White House family circle this season.

Although the Austrian ambassador and Baroness Hengelmüller are still in Europe and will not carry out their annual program, which heretofore included several weeks in the Berkshires, the members of the Austro-Hungarian staff have gone from Bar Harbor to remain to remain probably until the end of the month. The counselor, who is charge d'affaires in the interim, and Madame von Loenthal-Linay have as their home guest there Countess Nostitz, who arrived recently for her first visit to this country, and will come with them to Washington.

While in Vienna it is expected the ambassador will secure the sanction of the Emperor to his selection of a new embassy home here. The choice, admirable in every way, is a new house in upper Sixteenth Street, within a stone's throw of the new French embassy and commanding a fine view of the capital city. It is well designed and adapted to the giving of large entertainments, in which Baroness Hengelmüller is such a success. The present home of the embassy is in Connecticut Avenue, opposite the British embassy, which was a pioneer structure in that vicinity, as the French embassy is a then new center of fashion.

The Mexican ambassador is expected as the next newcomer in the latter section, for the old Mexican embassy,

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